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Statement

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Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield

On

HB 6307 An Act Regulating Third-Party Administrators

Good afternoon, Senator Crisco, Representative Fontana and members of the Insurance and Real Estate Committee. My name is Christine Cappiello and I am the Director of Government Relations for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Connecticut and I am here to testify on HB 6307 An Act Regulating Third-Party Administrators.

We believe that this legislation sets important safety perimeters around a segment of the health insurance industry, Third Party Administrators. When this legislation was submitted last session, we were appreciative that the Department took our concerns under advisement and worked to craft the bill that is before you. We look forward to assisting in whatever necessary on this proposed legislation.

Thank you for your time and I am here to answer any questions that the Committee might have.